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**PATENT** 

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Michael A. Centanni

Confirmation No. 8508

Application No.: 10/608,276

Group No.: 1743

Filed: June 27, 2003

Examiner: Brian J. Sines

For: SENSOR FOR SENSING A CHEMICAL COMPONENT CONCENTRATION USING AN

**ELECTROACTIVE MATERIAL** 

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

#### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

#### **STATUS**

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

#### **EXTENSION OF TERM**

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

# CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10\*

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#### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM + \$ 0.00									=	\$	0.00
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No additional fee for claims is required.

### PAPERS ENCLOSED

5. Response to Office Action – 8 pages
Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement – 4 pages

#### FEE DEFICIENCY

6. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 50-0537.

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# **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

## Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action dated May 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.